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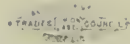
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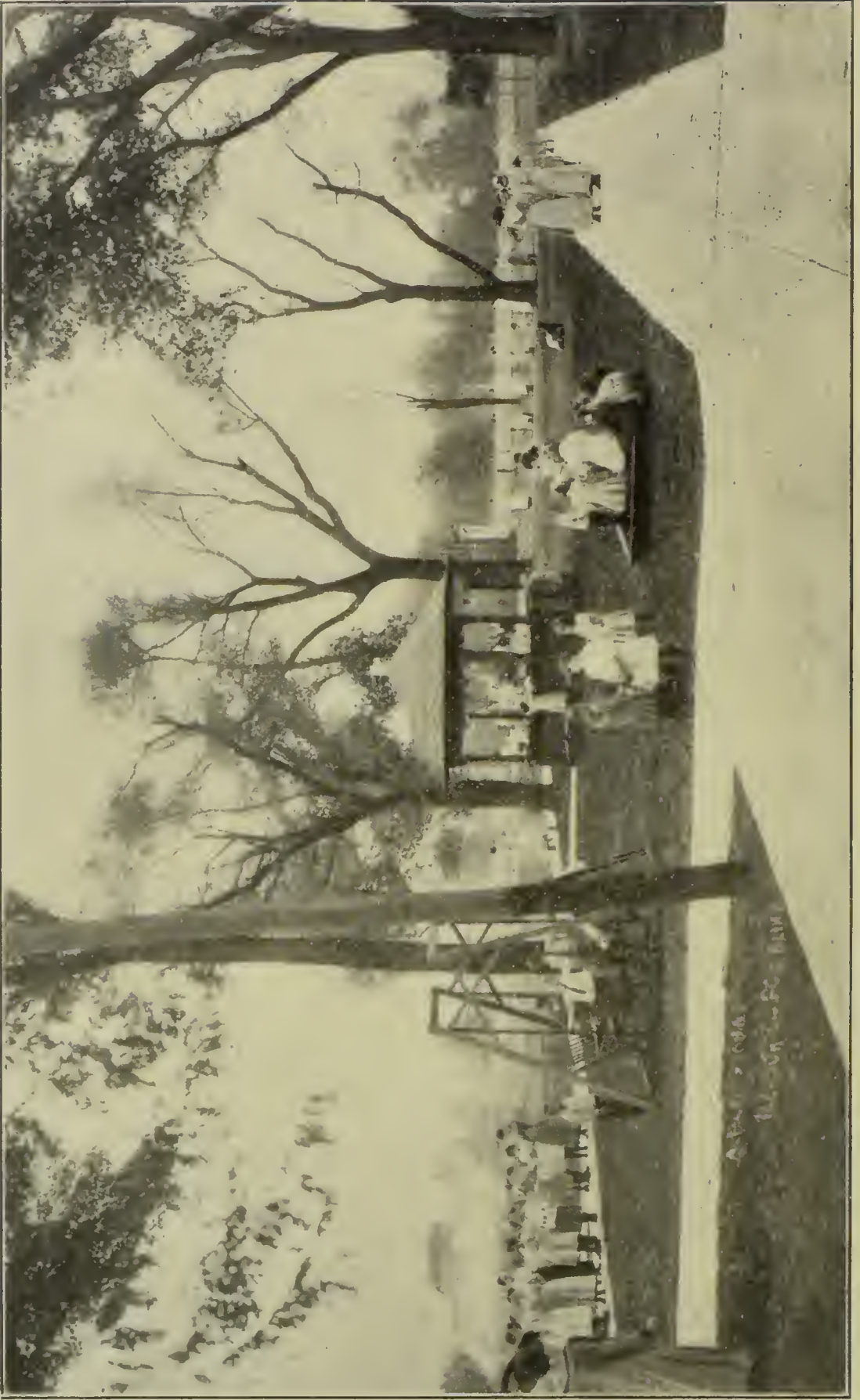
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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Honorable Board of Administration, Springfield, Illinois.

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to submit the thirty-fourth biennial report of the Illinois School for the Blind, which covers the period beginning October 1, 1914, and ending September 30, 1916.

ATTENDANCE.

The number of pupils enrolled during the period covered by this report was 271. Of these 131 were males and 140 were females. The number enrolled during the first year of the biennial period was 236. During the second year 234 were enrolled. The average attendance was 189.70.

GRADUATES.

The following list of names comprises the graduates of the school for the past two years:

Myrtle H. Ernst.....	Peoria	Bertha L. Pulley.....	Marion
Marie L. Schaffer.....	Decatur	Howard W. Collins.....	Union
Fred G. Foster.....	Bradford	Ellis M. Horton.....	Dixon
Earl F. Knowles.....	Decatur	Gertrude Miller	Jacksonville
George E. Piper.....	Chicago	Pauline Valentine	Chicago
Hannah J. Wessels.....	Tampico		

DECEASED.

There has been but one death at the school during this period, Bessie Tudor of Waynesville. Every care and all possible attention was provided her in her illness but nothing could be done to prevent death. Brain tumor which caused her blindness two years earlier was also the cause of her death.

SICKNESS.

The school has been very fortunate during the last two years in escaping serious contagions. No cases of measles, mumps, chicken pox, or other diseases so common amongst children made their appearance.

APPROPRIATIONS.

I respectfully recommend the following appropriations be made for the next biennial period:

Ordinary operating expenses for the year beginning July 1, 1917, for 225 pupils, based upon a net per capita cost of \$446.69.....	\$100,505
Ordinary operating expenses for the year beginning July 1, 1918, for 225 pupils, based upon a net per capita cost of \$446.69.....	100,505
Ordinary repairs and improvements, \$7,000 per annum.....	14,000
Ordinary improvement of grounds, \$500 per annum.....	1,000
Total	<hr/> \$216,010

EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Refurnishings	\$ 3,457
Household supplies	935
Musical instruments	3,800
Power plant	7,075
New buildings and additions—Hospital, \$8,000; Cow barn, \$8,000; Printing shop, \$700.....	16,700
Drinking water system.....	3,500
Painting, interior and exterior.....	5,000
Plumbing fixtures, and electrical apparatus.....	1,350
Walk, fence, sewers, pavement.....	3,075
Free circulating library (\$800 per annum).....	1,600
Text books and apparatus (\$4,000 per annum).....	8,000
	<hr/> \$54,492

In explanation of the above requests the granting of a new engine and generator would admit of the institution supplying its own electric current throughout the year, where now a considerable item of expense is in the current that we buy from the electric light company. Our cold storage, organ, laundry and other machinery could thus be run by our own current instead of that which we buy. The heating plant should have a general overhauling in order to give more satisfactory results. A concrete walk should be laid in the street along the east side of the grounds, where no walk is now, in order to give more promenade room for the boys and for the accommodation of the public in general. The fence on the east, west and north sides of the grounds is in very bad condition and should be rebuilt and painted. The present fence was built about thirty-five years ago. The cow barn is frame, and stands near the Wabash Railroad. It is not only unsanitary, but is a source of danger from fire.

The work in the printing shop has increased of late years to such an extent that the present quarters are very much crowded. The room can be easily enlarged by building in the angle where it forms an L to the cottage to which it is built. There should be considerable work done in relaying of new floors, repairing eaves of different buildings and tightening up and repairing window frames and sashes. The entire plant should be painted inside and outside wherever paint will preserve and ornament the buildings. It has been about ten years since a greater part of the buildings have been painted. A system to provide pure drinking water for the school could be easily installed. The water that falls in rain upon the metal and slate roofs could be filtered as it flowed into the cisterns and by means of pneumatic pressure tanks could be forced through pipes to the various cottages, where it could be drunk through bubbling fountains. One well, supplied by surface water which filters

through the ground supplies all the water the institution uses for drinking and culinary purposes. The water in this well often gets very low, and its purity is always in question.

Our hospital is modern in every respect, but is entirely too small. There are but four rooms or wards in it and often we have been compelled to have three beds in each room that are only built to accommodate one bed. There have been times when we have had to have two in a bed with other beds in the hallway and basement. Its capacity should be at least doubled, and in addition there should be constructed a suitable operating room.

Much of the furniture is old and shabby. The offices and guest room should be suitably equipped, and the rooms of the employees and students should be supplied with substantial and useful furniture. Steel sanitary lockers should be placed in all the dormitories to replace the unsightly and insanitary ones of wood that are now used.

The household supplies are generally provided for from the ordinary appropriations, but so many things are needed that it was thought best to ask for a special appropriation to cover the purchase price.

COURSE OF STUDY.

Year after year the tendency has been growing more and more on the part of colleges and universities to raise the standard of admission. The public schools have been heeding these demands and meeting the requirements by strengthening their courses of study, so that graduates of most of the high schools, having four year courses, have no difficulty in entering these schools, without taking a year or more of preparatory work. About eight years ago, a very excellent course of study was prepared for this school by Mrs. Louise B. Inglis, principal of the literary department, assisted by the teaching corps. This course of study is still followed. This course embraces four years of high school work, eight years of grade work and one year of kindergarten. In order to meet the modern demands of education and that our graduates might meet on equal terms the graduates of seeing schools in their admission into colleges, our course of study should be strengthened. The first step in bringing this about would be the addition of several more teachers in the corps in the literary department—two in the high school and one for the irregular students in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. With this added help the work that we are now doing could be strengthened, more studies added to the course we are now following and the recitation periods in the high school be made 40 and 45 minutes in length instead of 30 minutes, as they are now. With such a course and the physical equipment to enact it, the graduates of this school would be much better prepared to enter colleges without being compelled to take one or more years of preparatory work. The literary course as now arranged follows along the lines laid down by the State course of study so far as our equipment, teaching force and other conditions will permit.

In addition to the work in the literary department the school maintains courses in music, piano tuning, manual training, domestic science,

AMERICAN BRAILLE.

To write on a Braille tablet begin at the right ; to read, reverse the sheet and begin at the left. In either case the six points $\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}$ of which the characters are formed, are numbered from the top, 1, 2, 3, for the first vertical row, and 4, 5, 6, for the second.

ALPHABET.

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To capitalize a letter prefix to it points 3 and 6 ($\begin{smallmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \end{smallmatrix}$)

MARKS OF PUNCTUATION.

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The apostrophe is point 4. The other marks, except the exclamation, are formed of points 2, 3, 5 and 6.

When two or more initial letters requiring the capital sign occur together, the space which separates words may be omitted ; the period which follows the first letter then becomes also the prefix, or capital sign, for the next ; thus, $\begin{smallmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{smallmatrix}$ F. R. S.

NUMERALS.

When alone or in combination the following letters, if prefixed by the numeral sign ($\begin{smallmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot \end{smallmatrix}$), become numbers.

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and physical culture, thus taking into account the practical side of the education and the physical development of the body as well as the cultural and intellectual as provided for in the literary course.

OUTLINE OF COURSES.

Kindergarten.—Circle songs, games and stories, gifts, modeling, kindergarten handwork on paper and loomweaving.

Grades.—Braille reading, Braille writing (Braille Slates and Hall Braille Writers), language, spelling, grammar, literature, arithmetic, algebra, history, geography, elementary science, manual training, morals and manners, physical culture.

High School.—(Freshman) rhetoric, algebra, physiology, English history. (Sophomore) physical geography, Greek and Roman history, physics, Algebra II, spelling, American literature. (Junior) English literature, mediaeval and modern history, commercial law, German, geometry. (Senior) German, psychology, American history, civics, economics, Latin.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

Our course in music includes piano, organ, voice, violin, piano tuning, chorus, orchestra, harmony, musical history and the study of Braille and Staff notations. Our endeavor in all branches of this department is to give the pupils such training as will not only develop them mentally and artistically, but will enable them to fill remunerative positions after leaving our school.

The music in the Braille notation is furnished to students in all branches of this department by our own printing department.

Piano.—Pupils may begin the study of piano upon completing the second grade of the literary course, after having studied the Braille notation of music, and if they make sufficient advancement may continue the work throughout their entire school course.

The course in piano includes the rudiments of music, technic and the art of phrasing, as well as pieces and studies by the best composers for the piano, covering all grades, from the elementary to the most difficult.

Organ.—After a few years study on the piano, if a pupil gives sufficient evidence of musical ability, he is allowed to take up the study of organ. This course includes etudes by Carl, Whiting, Buck, and others, and compositions by the most eminent writers for the organ.

Voice.—The course in voice includes technic and the art of singing with such songs as are considered necessary for the individual, also songs ranging from the very simple ones to the classics, and selections from the operas and oratorios.

Violin.—Violin instruction is given to pupils who have studied the Braille notation of music. The Sevcik method of bowing and fingering is taught and etudes by such composers as Kayser, Hermann, Maza and Kreutzer are used together with pieces from the best writers for the violin.

INITIAL LETTERS USED AS WORD SIGNS.

but could down from great have just know like my
 not quite right should the under very will you

When the above words are parts of other words the initial letter must not be used as a representative; *e. g.* when standing alone represents "know," but "knowledge" should be written

knowledge

OTHER CHARACTERS USED AS WORD AND PART WORD SIGNS.

an and ar ch ed en er for in ing
 is of on or ou ow st th or tion wh or
 that which

The following characters, with one exception, are formed of points 2, 3, 5, 6. When separated from words by the omission of a cell, they are word signs, as follows:

had their to was with would

The letter x () when standing alone is used as an asterisk.

The letter d followed by a period is used as the dollar sign and should be immediately followed by the numeral sign; thus—

\$23.75

An italicized word is indicated by the prefix of point 6 ()

Lines of poetry are separated by the omission of three cells.

The capital sign preceding a contraction capitalizes only the first letter of the contraction.

The ordinary rules of grammar should be closely followed; hence correct syllabication must be observed, and a monosyllable should never be divided.

Strict conformity to general grammatical laws and the special rules preceding, are essential to a correct use of the American Braille, and the use of signs in any other way than that hereby authorized is as inelegant and incorrect as similar changes in ordinary writing.

Piano Tuning.—The study of piano tuning is taken up by such students of the higher grades as are deemed fitted for the work. This embraces a very thorough course in tuning and repairing and fits pupils for positions in piano factories, etc.

Chorus.—The chorus classes meet once a day and are of great benefit to pupils. The junior chorus is given simple songs, ear training sight (touch) reading of simple melodies, and some public school music. The senior chorus is given more difficult music, including songs from the operas and oratorios. They are also given sight (touch) reading.

Harmony.—A thorough course in harmony is given to all pupils sufficiently advanced to take up the work. The leading text book used is that of Norris.

Musical History.—The study of the history of music is not only of great interest, but is of inestimable value to all music students. It is in the prescribed music course.

Braille Notation of Music.—The study of Braille notation of music is essential before taking up any branch of music.

Staff Notation.—The study of staff notation is given to advanced pupils. It not only acquaints them with the music used by sighted musicians, but it is of great value to them in teaching sighted pupils.

Recitals.—Pupils recitals are given every few weeks before the school for the purpose of familiarizing the students with the best music and of affording the players and singers experience in public playing. The more advanced pupils appear in the public recitals.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

Physical education is three-fold in its purpose: First, to correct defects of posture, giving better bodily poise and more self-reliance; second, recreative, teaching them how to play, and learning cooperation through organized play; third, to create a normal physical condition thereby making possible the greatest mental development. The physical work is required of all students.

The class work is divided into eleven groups, five for the boys and six for the girls. These are graded as closely as possible according to the pupils' physical development. The classes have from twelve to twenty pupils, and as much individual instruction is given as time will allow. The advanced students have two periods of one hour each, weekly; the younger pupils three periods of thirty minutes each.

The basis of work is Swedish gymnastics, combined with light apparatus as Indian clubs, dumb bells, wands, also games and folk dancing, with athletics for the senior boys.

BASKETRY AND SEWING.

In the department of basketry and sewing there are sixty-eight girls enrolled representing all the grades outside the kindergarten and primary departments. During the year each girl is given individual instructions in raffia and reed weaving, sewing, beadwork, crocheting, knitting, etc. The beadwork is taught only because of the excellent training it

EXAMPLE OF WRITING WITH CONTRACTIONS.

They had ch o s e n their w o r k ; o n e w a s a n a r t i s t ; a n o t h e r
 e x c e l l e d i n m u s i c ; a n d t h e y o u n g e s t w a s e r r a n d b o y
 f o r W . A . H o i t & C o . , 9 D a y S t . , w h e r e h e
 e a r n e d \$ 4 . 5 0 p e r w e e k . N o t q u i t e s o g i f t e d
 a s h i s b r o t h e r s , h e p o s s e s s e d , l i k e t h e m , a
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 w i t h a l l . H e c o u l d t u r n h i s h a n d t o a n y t h i n g a n d h i s
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 l e a v i n g b u t p r o m i s e d s p e e d y p r o m o t i o n .

affords the fingers of the younger children and those of the older students who come to us with hands unskilled in any sort of industrial work. The girls are taught practical sewing and later the use of the sewing machine; many of them being able to operate the sewing machine with all the accuracy of a person with sight. The pupils' work is rated according to her alertness, perseverance and willingness, and the neatness with which the work is done. Good work is being done in this department, and we have every reason to believe that there is a future for many of our girls in the industrial field.

FREE CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

As a result of the passage of a postal law entitling books of raised characters to be transmitted free of charge through the mails, the State of Illinois has for some years maintained a free circulating library for the blind at this school. By virtue of the above mentioned law which puts the possibility for obtaining reading matter within the reach of the blind persons of all classes, they have a fair opportunity of improving much of their time in the reading of books drawn from this library. Thirty days is the allotted length of time for the retention of a book, but the loan may be renewed, and special concessions are made to students.

It is the duty of the one in charge of the library to give general attention to the books in the library, to fill and record orders to prepare and wrap outgoing books for the mail, to unwrap and put away the incoming books, to supply desired information, and to make, if requested, selections to meet the particular wants of readers.

The last appropriation made by the State for the support of this department amounted to \$1,600, and the State, in supporting this growing factor in the distribution and further acquirement of knowledge, is doing a good work. Twenty-five hundred volumes are in the library, including works of history, biography, philosophy, reference, fiction, etc., and about 5,000 volumes a year are sent out upon request from those who desire them. A few books are sent out of the State, but practically all of them circulate within Illinois.

THE PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Early in the nineties former Superintendent F. H. Hall designed the first stereotyping machine, as well as other devices for writing raised print rapidly. On this machine the dot systems and notations can be written on metal sheets. These sheets or plates are placed on the press and from them paper copies are duplicated. Through these inventions by Mr. Hall, Illinois gave a new stimulus to printing and hence to education of the blind, which was surpassed only by the development of the dot system itself.

Our printing department was the first to be equipped with the new machines, and because of favorable influences, special attention was early given to the transcribing of music. It was not long before individuals and institutions in other states and abroad began to call for music and

BRaille MUSIC ALPHABET.

	C	D	E	F	G	A	B
Wholes or 16ths,							
Halves or 32ds,							
Quarters or 64ths,							
Eighths or 128ths,							
Octave signs,	1 	2 	3 	4 	5 	6 	7
Fingering signs,	1 	2 	3 	4 	5 		
Rests,							
Accidentals,							
Intervals,	2d 	3d 	4th 	5th 	6th 	7th 	8th
slur		in accord with	turn	grace note	trill		
repeat		staccato	dot	double dot			
double bar		double bar with repeat	pause	right hand m. d.	left hand m. g.		

Expression marks are represented by the abbreviations ordinarily used in music for the seeing. Characters standing for letters must be preceded by the word sign ().

Provision is made in Braille for the special signs which occur in music written for violin, guitar, organ, voice, etc. For further information, consult the pamphlet published by the British and Foreign Blind Association of Cambridge Square, Hyde Park, London.

literature printed by us. A small charge was fixed on this output to cover expense, and the demand has grown until it has become a distinct feature of our work. Approximately 12,000 plates of music and 8,000 plates of literature have been made by us, and it is worthy of note that our catalog of music for the blind is inferior to none in the world.

While the charge for printed matter shipped from our school is small, receipts per annum vary from \$800 to \$1,000, while text books and music for class work furnished our own departments, should be valued at \$500. Mr. Arthur Jewell was in charge of the work from 1891 to his death in 1912, when L. W. Rodenberg was appointed to the position.

REPAIRS AND ADDITIONS.

Much has been done in the way of repairs and changes. The front driveway was changed to the west side of the grounds from its old route where it ran between the girls' cottage and the main building. A six inch water main was laid along the new driveway for a distance of about 1,200 feet. It connects with the city's water system, with four hydrants at suitable distances apart, thus affording ample protection against fire. Shrubbery and flower beds have been set out on each side of the driveway, which, when mature will add much to the beauty of the grounds.

A new cold storage building was built which adds greatly to our convenience. Not only are we able to keep our supply of meat, milk and eggs, as well as making our own ice, but the additional room of the second story and basement gives us much needed space for the storage of groceries, dry goods, fruits and vegetables.

A new slate roof has been placed upon the center of the main building, and all metal roofs on all other buildings have been put in good repair and painted. The cracked smokestack has been securely clamped and every joint and seam carefully pointed up, thus making the stack almost as good as new. The repairs made upon the stack together with the resetting of the boilers and replacing some of the old flues resulted in better heating of the buildings as well as economy in fuel.

Concrete and flooring basement rooms in the high school girls' cottage, thus making some good piano practice rooms; rebuilding the iron fence in front of the grounds, the entrances having large, square brick columns surmounted by electrically lighted boulevard lamps; excavating and concreting a room under the main building thus increasing the storage capacity for fruits and vegetables; repairing and refurnishing the superintendent's living rooms are other improvements worthy of notice.

One especially noteworthy addition to the equipment of the school is in the purchase of a victrola. The Board of Administration has been very liberal in allowing the purchase of records. Many of the noted singers and performers upon musical instruments are represented in our records. We have selections from most of the famous operas and several operas complete.

Every person seems to have an inborn desire or craving to get so much pleasure out of his existence. To the person possessed of all his faculties most of the pleasures come through the sense of sight. Beauties of form, color, motion, perspective, visual expression, etc., are all denied to the blind. While being denied these visual pleasures the blind, consciously or unconsciously seek to obtain their allotted share of pleasures through other senses. Hence, the ear is ever open and alert to all sounds, and their sensibilities are pleased or thrilled by the harmonies of vibration to a greater extent, perhaps, than in seeing people, in proportion to their natural gifts and application. Hence, it is a rare treat for the children of this school to have placed before them daily, the finest voices and most skillful performers on musical instruments, and the best organized orchestras and bands of the world. It is hoped that the school's library of records in time will be as complete as possible, showing not only the operatic and classical, but to have as well all the famous old ballads and folk songs and melodies representing all kinds of music of all nationalities and people.

Acknowledgment of a bequest of \$500 to the School for the Blind should here be made. Max Kunstader, of the firm of Kunstader Bros. of Chicago, for many years paid visits to Jacksonville on business connected with his firm. His sight gradually failed him and for the last ten years of his life he was totally blind. Out of sympathy and in consideration for those who were similarly afflicted he left to the school the above mentioned bequest.

One of the most commendable and humane acts of the Board of Administration was its providing for certain children who attend this school and have no suitable homes to go to during the summer vacation. It was arranged that these children be provided for at the institution during this time. This plan has been followed for the last two summers with results which afford much pleasure to the management. Six children were kept during the summer of 1915 and eight during 1916. One of the cottages was set aside especially for their use and a housemother put in charge to look after their needs. The children had real vacations such as but few are privileged to enjoy. They had the use of the beautiful lawn and play grounds, free access to the school libraries, and use of pianos for practice and amusement. They had no cares or responsibilities and were privileged to work or play as they pleased. All of them entered school in September fresher and stronger, in better spirits and better able to take up the school work than they otherwise would have been, had not this provision been made for them.

Leota Lohr from Ipava, Illinois, is a pupil in this school. She is thirteen years old and is doing seventh grade work. She is especially interested in history and literature. Her talent for writing literary compositions and poems is especially marked. One of her poems entitled, "When School is Out," was of such merit that it was published in the St. Nicholas Magazine. She wrote a composition entitled, "My Favorite Hero in History," and submitted it in a prize contest in The Woman's Magazine, published in New York City. She had the honor of receiving first prize on her production over compositions that were offered from

all over the United States. Besides the honor of writing the best composition she was awarded a cash prize of twenty dollars. In another and later contest by the same magazine she was awarded a second prize of ten dollars against the similar field of contestants. It is unnecessary to state that the entire school—teachers as well as pupils—are proud of the honor conferred upon one of its pupils in a contest open to all school children in all the schools of the country. Leota is the only blind pupil that ever contested for a prize offered by the Woman's Magazine. It is her purpose to spend ten dollars of this prize money for the purchase of some memorial or ornament for the school; thus showing her appreciation of the institution that has helped her, and at the same time furnishing some token which might be a source of inspiration to others.

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

The Alumni Association of this school was organized in 1887. Two hundred and sixty-five graduates have been enrolled as members, of which number two hundred and twenty-five are living. Meetings are held biennially, the purpose of the association being both social and educational. There being no strong State organization of the workers for the blind in Illinois, the Alumni Association has undertaken several lines of work which are somewhat foreign to its original purpose. It has established a trust fund which it lends to worthy young men and women who are beginning the work of self-support. An employment bureau has been established to secure work for the blind in the State needing employment and to investigate vocations best suited to the capabilities of the blind.

In the meeting which was held May 24, and 25, 1916, and which was attended by sixty-two members, the work of these special committees was given new stimulus and direction. The sincerity of the work was proven when, during the two days session, a sum of over \$200 was added to the funds through personal subscriptions.

The entertainments this year were a concert, a banquet, a dance and a reception given in the parlors by Superintendent Montgomery and wife and a surprise hay ride picnic given by the Novel Music Embossing Company, all of which were entered into with spirit. The officers of the previous term were re-elected: President, G. W. Gerlach; Vice President, Frauncie E. Moon; Secretary, L. W. Rodenberg, all of this school, and William Heickes of Metamora, Illinois, treasurer.

When we consider that practically all our industrial pursuits are dependent upon those persons who have the special senses well developed and the most important of all these senses is sight, we can begin to appreciate under what a great handicap are those who have lost their sight. The blind are excluded from the great avenues of the industrial world and their paths are confined to very narrow limits. The seeing person has unlimited opportunities for effort, for employment, for success, where the blind is often denied the chance even to try. If the blind is to overcome his handicap he should have given him every opportunity that comes

from education. Parents should be discouraged from thinking that they are doing their blind children a kindness by keeping them at home. If born blind, the children should be placed in school as early as the age of six. If the affliction comes in later years of life, he should enter as soon as possible after the misfortune befalls him. The natural affection that a parent bears to the child is perhaps much more intensified when the child is afflicted with blindness, and the dread and regrets of parting are correspondingly much more acute. But for the parent to withhold his consent for the child to enter the school for the blind is doing the child a great injustice, and keeping it at home is love's labor lost. The widest publicity should be given to the advantages of the State school—its beautiful grounds and buildings, its courses of study, its teaching corps, its home life, the excellent care of the boys and girls in attendance, and the protection that is thrown around them by the great State of Illinois. Could the advantages of this school be made known to all who have the care and custody of blind children no truancy laws or truant officers would be needed for the children who are eligible for enrollment therein. I am,

Yours very truly,

H. C. MONTGOMERY, *Managing Officer.*

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

*Mr. H. C. Montgomery, Managing Officer, Illinois School for the Blind,
Jacksonville, Illinois.*

DEAR SIR: As physician to the institution I hereby respectfully submit the report for the biennium ending September 30, 1916:

This report includes only such cases as remained in the hospital for three days or longer. Many cases of temporary illness and minor accidents treated did not remain in the hospital and all such are not recorded nor included in this report:

Tonsilitis	54	Enuresis	6
Indigestion	40	Axillary abscess	1
Severe colds	34	Neuritis	1
Malaria	5	Menorrhagia	1
Adenitis	2	Scarlatina	1
Dysmenorrhoea	3	Otitis media	2
Sprains	4	Fracture of forearm.....	1
Neurasthenia	4	Fracture of femur.....	1
Rheumatism	8	Varicella	1
Migrain	4	Mitral insufficiency	2
Infections	3	Brain tumor	2
Pneumonia	4	Anuria	3

I thank you for your interest and cooperation.

Very respectfully,

G. E. BAXTER, *Physician.*

EYE SURGEON'S REPORT.

Mr. H. C. Montgomery, Managing Officer, Illinois School for the Blind, Jacksonville, Illinois.

DEAR SIR: Enclosed you will find my report as oculist to the Illinois School for the Blind for the past biennial period.

Examinations are made to determine: First, if the applicant should be educated by the methods used in a school for the blind. (Each year one or more persons are advised to have treatment or operation to secure vision, or are found to have sufficient vision to go to the public schools.) Second: To see if the condition of the eyes can be improved by operation or treatment, so as to retain or improve the remnant of sight present. Treatment has been given those requiring it for relief from pain, to improve the vision and to prevent any risk of spreading a contagious eye disease.

No adequate definition of blindness is obtainable. Some applicants with a moderate amount of vision have eyes so diseased that any use of them would be at a great risk, others have eyes in a fairly healthful condition, but with lowered vision, when moderate use of the eyes would not be harmful. In the latter class very slow progress is made in using type for the blind, while fair progress is made if too much work is not attempted in seeing schools: Any applicant desiring admission should have an examination and certificate from a physician familiar with diseases and defects of the eye. Those from Chicago or vicinity should secure such a certificate from the surgeons of the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary, 227 West Adams Street, Chicago. Attention is respectfully called to the need of increased hospital facilities, especially a modern operating room, with suitable accessories and properly equipped. A record of pupils on entrance is kept to determine the amount of vision, if any, the cause of blindness, and the necessity for treatment or prophylaxis in case of contagious eye diseases. This record is of 875 pupils and extends from 1894 to date.

Table No. 1—Classification of the blind according to age at the time of entrance:

Five years	15	Fifty to sixty.....	17
Six to ten years.....	226	Over sixty	1
Eleven to fifteen.....	225	Ages not given.....	20
Sixteen to twenty.....	165		
Twenty-one to thirty.....	51	Total	875
Forty-one to fifty.....	43		

Table No. 2—The degree of blindness:

Totally blind	234	27%
Light perception only.....	292	33%
Nearly blind	162	18%
Useful vision	184	21%
Total	872	99%

By "useful" vision it is not to be thought that there are seeing pupils in the school. By it is meant those having vision enough by using it to get about with comfort, yet have not sufficient sight to get an education with ordinary print. Some of this class, although able to see ordinary type at close range, should not use the eyes because of some diseased condition of them making much use hazardous, as in high degree of myopia and choroiditis. The nearly blind are those having vision sufficient to see large objects or may be able to count fingers at one foot, but not able to get about with ease depending upon sight alone. Each year one or more children appear and are not accepted having one blind eye, or maybe strabismus, in whom one eye has normal vision. In deciding who should be sent to the school, not entirely the amount of vision but rather the final outcome of the case must be considered. If the probabilities are that vision will be lost in a short time, then vision during that time can be used to immense advantage in getting adjusted to the new system. Those children having scarred corneae following trachoma, especially, and having fair vision (6m/20) by judicious treatment, may secure vision sufficient to be educated with ordinary print with much less effort, and no especial risk to their vision. In considering the causes of blindness I have attempted to follow the scheme of Magnus. In attempting to secure information concerning the time of becoming blind, I may have been misled. These were reported by parents or by the pupils themselves, as having been born blind. There are several conditions tabulated among the congenitally blind that may have developed in early life.

Twenty pupils left the school before having the cause of blindness determined.

Table No. 3—Congenital Blindness. This group includes those born blind and those born with germs of blindness already existing in the eyes, but the process not completed:

Abopthalmus	13	Kerato-conus	3
Microphthalmus .....	..	Albinismus	5
Bupthalmus	8	Keratitis	3
Atrophia nervi optici...	14	Cataract (congenital)...	68
Retinitis pigmentosa ...	7	Undetermined conditions	14
Choroiditis and choroido- retinitis	13	Total	148— 17%

Table No. 4—Blindness due to idiopathic diseases of the eye:

Ophthalmia neonatorum	169	Detachment of the re-	
Ophthalmia (gonorrhoeal)	13	tina	9
Trachoma (granulated		Myopic choroiditis.....	3
lids)	57	Neuro-retinitis	3
Diphtheritic conjunctiv-		Atrophy of Optic nerve.	95
itis	4	Glaucoma	13
Disease of the cornea...	36	Cataract	7
Iritis and irido-choroid-		Undetermined	23
itis	19		
Choroiditis	11	Total	462— 54%

Table No. 5—Traumatic Blindness:

Direct injuries (of the eye).....	43
Injuries of the head.....	14
Sympathetic ophthalmia	79
Total	136— 16%

Table No. 6—Blindness, immediate, due to general diseases:

Brain and its mem-		Cerebro spinal menin-	
branes and spinal cords	45	gitis	1
Measles	19	Whooping cough	1
Scarlatina	11	Mumps	1
Undertermined	4	Pupura hemorrhagica..	1
Typhoid fever	10		
Small pox	9	Total	106— 15%
La Grippe	4		

Among the last 27 pupils admitted to the school, 10 lost their sight from ophthalmia neonatorum. In tabulating those blind from general diseases I have taken those whose blindness was an immediate result of that general disease. Without a doubt a large percentage of the blindness here attributed to idiopathic disease of the eye was the direct though later result of systemic disease.

Thanking you for your kind interest and cooperation, I am,
Respectfully,

A. L. ADAMS, *Eye Surgeon.*

STATISTICAL TABLES.

TABLE NO. 1—MOVEMENT OF POPULATION.

	From Oct. 1, 1914, to Sept. 30, 1915.			From Oct. 1, 1915, to Sept. 30, 1916.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Present at beginning of year.....	90	94	184	89	92	181
Admitted.....	18	19	37	11	19	30
Readmitted.....	3	1	4	5	1	6
Enrollment.....	111	114	225	105	112	217
Discharged.....	1		1	2		2
Died.....					1	1
Dropped from roll.....	19	22	41	18	21	39
Absent end of year.....	2		2			
Present end of year.....	89	92	181	85	90	175
Total.....	111	114	225	105	112	217
Average number present.....	90.27	96.58	186.86	84.70	95.40	180.10
Percentage of deaths.....						.0046
Rated capacity.....	225					

TABLE NO. 2—RESIDENCE OF PUPILS BY COUNTIES.

County.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Present.
Adams.....	4			3
Boone.....	3			2
Calhoun.....	1			1
Cass.....	4	1		3
Champaign.....	2			1
Christian.....	4			4
Clark.....	4			1
Cook.....	55			44
DeWitt.....	1		1	
Douglas.....	1			
Edwards.....	2			2
Franklin.....	2			1
Fulton.....	4			4
Hancock.....	4			4
Henderson.....	1			
Jackson.....	1			
Jefferson.....	1			
Jo Daviess.....	1			
Jersey.....	1			
Johnson.....	1			1
Kane.....	5			2
Kankakee.....	2			1
Knox.....	1			1
LaSalle.....	2			2
Lee.....	2			1
Livingston.....	3			2
McDonough.....	3			3

TABLE NO. 2—RESIDENCE OF PUPILS BY COUNTIES—Concluded.

County.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Present.
McLean.....	5			5
Macon.....	6			6
Macoupin.....	2			2
Madison.....	9			9
Marshall.....	2			2
Mason.....	1			1
Menard.....	1			1
Montgomery.....	1			1
Morgan.....	10	1		10
Peoria.....	10			10
Perry.....	5	1		4
Piatt.....	1			1
Pulaski.....	1			1
Randolph.....	2			2
Richland.....	2			2
Rock Island.....	4			4
St. Clair.....	3			1
Saline.....	1			1
Sangamon.....	6			6
Shelby.....	1			
Stark.....	2			
Stephenson.....	2			2
Tazewell.....	1			1
Union.....	2			2
Vermilion.....	6			4
Warren.....	2			2
Wayne.....	1			1
White.....	2			2
Whiteside.....	1			1
Will.....	4			4
Williamson.....	5			3
Woodford.....	1			1
Total.....	217	3	1	175

TABLE NO 3—LIST OF PUPILS.

Name.	Residence.	County.
Atkinson, Celia.....	Fairmount.....	Vermilion.
Atkinson, Edna.....	do.....	Vermilion.
Atkinson, Lurley.....	do.....	Vermilion.
Arnold, John.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Allison, Lloyd.....	do.....	Cook.
Anderson, George.....	Oakwood.....	Vermilion.
Austin, Thurman.....	Norris City.....	White.
Baldwin, Nellie.....	Herrin.....	Williamson.
Biesterfeldt, Hazel.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Booker, Maudie.....	Deeatur.....	Marion.
Boyer, Nellie.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Ballard, Leland.....	Carmi.....	White.
Burhall, Wm.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Bowersock, George.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Bruner, Mildred.....	East St. Louis.....	St. Clair.
Brewer, Ruby.....	Pontiac.....	Livingston.
Brown, Leslie.....	Deeatur.....	Macon.
Becker, Jerome.....	Forest Park.....	Cook.
Brandon, Roy.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Bauer, Lewis.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Biggers, Annie.....	Belvidere.....	Boone.
Brown, Cornelia.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Carpenter, Emma.....	Marshall.....	Clark.
Chapman, Esther.....	Keithsburg.....	Mercer.
Chrystal, Ethel.....	Batavia.....	Kane.
Clark, Edith.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Clingen, Howard.....	do.....	Cook.
Cronk, Dorothy.....	do.....	Cook.
Carpenter, John.....	Marshall.....	Clark.
Carpenter, Frank.....	do.....	Clark.
Crowley, Johanna.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Christen, Elmer.....	Galena.....	JoDaviess.

TABLE NO. 3—Continued.

Name.	Residence.	County.
Cowling, Charles.....	Browns.....	Edwards.
Crabtree, Mary Alice.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Crowley, W. J.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.
Cohen, Ethel.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Dotzel, Anna.....	do.....	Cook.
Dykstra, Richard.....	do.....	Cook.
Duff, Dudley.....	do.....	Cook.
Dutton, Earl.....	Astoria.....	Fulton.
Davidson, Roland.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.
Dorsey, Glenn.....	Woodrifer.....	Madison.
Ellerbush, Hazel.....	Havana.....	Mason.
Eskew, Helen.....	Benton.....	Franklin.
Ernst, Myrtle.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Elliott, Jennie.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Eckhard, Nolan.....	Alton.....	Madison.
Etinene, Ralph.....	Coulterville.....	Randolph.
Ermann, Joseph.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.
Elsesser, Rudolph.....	do.....	Sangamon.
Flannery, Mary.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Foster, Fred.....	Bradford.....	Stark.
Ford, Mary.....	Sherman.....	Sangamon.
Feford, Henry.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.
Gill, Ora.....	Pekin.....	Tazewell.
Grant, Jacob.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Gring, Leonard.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.
Gelardi, Joseph.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Gorman, Lawrence.....	Sidney.....	Champaign.
Gregg, Hubert.....	Olney.....	Richland.
Harvey, Hazel.....	Kankakee.....	Kankakee.
Hancock, Lena.....	Mapleton.....	Peoria.
Henderson, Marie.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.
Henixman, Marie.....	Minonk.....	Woodford.
Herman, Matt.....	Quincy.....	Adams.
Horton, Ralph.....	Dixon.....	Lee.
Hoteh, Marion.....	Carthage.....	Henderson.
Huber, Caroline.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Howard, Ceel.....	Herrin.....	Williamson.
Howland, Waneta.....	Hardin.....	Calhoun.
Hayes, Francis.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Heater, Elmer.....	Joliet.....	Will.
Hamilton, Edwin.....	Roseville.....	Warren.
Hoppenstedt, Edward.....	Crete.....	Will.
Hatfield, Mary.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Horton, Holland.....	Dixon.....	Lee.
Habig, Alfonso.....	Edwardsville.....	Madison.
Jackson, Hazel.....	Silvis.....	Rock Island.
Jirsa, John.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Jarvis, Edna.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Jezierny, Walter.....	do.....	Cook.
Kunter, Karl.....	do.....	Cook.
Krusehue, Rudolph.....	do.....	Cook.
Krough, Robert.....	do.....	Cook.
Kurz, Fred.....	West Frankfort.....	Franklin.
Lewis, Hattie.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Lohr, Leota.....	Ipava.....	Fulton.
Lundgren, Dlores.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Logan, Edward.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Lipe, Dora.....	Carbondale.....	Jackson.
Lowder, Leo.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Lawson, Wm.....	Bement.....	Piatt.
Levandowski, Mary.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Molineaux, Edward.....	Westfield.....	Clark.
Meyers, Frank.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Miller, Nathaniel.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.
Muirhead, Elizabeth.....	Plato Center.....	Kane.
Maisel, Josephine.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Marquardt, Martha.....	do.....	Cook.
MaeCullom, Averil.....	do.....	Cook.
McDuffee, Frank.....	Fairfield.....	Wayne.
Meleher, Augusta.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Miller, Gertrude.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Morse, Chester.....	Rapatee.....	Knox.
Mitchell, James.....	Aurora.....	Kane.
McAllister, Allyn.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Meek, Nettie.....	Jacksonville.....	Morgan.
Miller, Russell.....	Chicago.....	Cook.

TABLE NO. 3—Continued.

Name.	Residence.	County.
McClarren, Florence	Moline	Rock Island.
Neilson, Elsie	Dwight	Livingstou.
Noel, Olive	Oglesby	LaSalle.
Norris, Lillian	Ashland	Cass.
Neef, Herbert	Springfield	Sangamou.
Nelson, Ernest	Jacksonville	Morgan.
Nowatski, Homer	Bloomington	McLean.
Opremechak, Elizabeth	Virden	Macoupin.
Opremechak, Julia	do	Macoupin.
Oldham, Fernando	Shelbyville	Shelby.
O'Malley, John	Duquoin	Perry.
Overton, Willis	Swanwick	Perry.
Overton, Howard	do	Perry.
Patton, Naomi	Little York	Warren.
Palmer, Ruth	South Pekin	Tazewell.
Piper, Ralph	Peoria	Peoria.
Piper, George	Chicago	Cook.
Phillips, Myrtle	Marion	Williamson.
Phillips, Reba	do	Williamsou.
Pasturezak, Jennie	Chicago	Cook.
Pople, George	Peoria	Peoria.
Penny, Tenny	Chester	Randolph.
Quernheim, Walter	Beardstown	Cass.
Quernheim, Ralph	do	Cass.
Richardson, Clarence	Winnetka	Cook.
Rynders, Claude	Waverly	Morgan.
Rigsby, Sylvia	Chicago	Cook.
Rubenstein, Rebecca	do	Cook.
Robinson, Harriet	do	Cook.
Reimann, Kathleen	do	Cook.
Reamer, Jerald	Edinburg	Christian.
Ritehey, Ralph	Chicago	Cook.
Riehey, Glenn	Olmstead	Pulaski.
Rain, Helen	Alton	Madison.
Roberts, Louis	Industry	McDonough.
Robertson, Frederick	Olney	Madison.
Steiner, Louis	Chicago	Cook.
Stephenson, Hobart	Woodlawn	Jefferson.
Strazgenik, Rosiemilli	Joliet	Will.
Symkowski, Rosie	Chicago	Cook.
Symkowski, Julia	do	Cook.
Symkowski, Clara	do	Cook.
Steubinger, Alberta	Peoria	Peoria.
Swearingen, Helena	Quincy	Adams.
Smith, Pauline	Jerseyville	Jersey.
Stafford, Bessie	Taylorville	Christian.
Smith, Marguerite	Alton	Madison.
Scheeter, Sara	Moline	Rock Island.
Spera, Ethel	Decatur	Macon.
Shaffer, Marie	do	Macon.
Sain, Carolyn	Charleston	Douglas.
Sutherland, Hugh	Chicago	Cook.
Stewart, John	Harrisburg	Saline.
Swearingen, Alfred	Quincy	Adams.
Schaede, Meta	Champaign	Champaign.
Skinner, Lenora	Rock Island	Rock Island.
Stege, Henry	Matteson	Cook.
Stark, Ruth	Peoria	Peoria.
Stowell, Vera	Belvidere	Boone.
Stone, Margaret	do	Boone.
Skryzenta, Julia	Chicago	Cook.
Songer, Claude	Sparland	Marshall.
Schrimpf, Charles	Belleville	St. Clair.
Slieuterius, Waldemar	Chicago	Cook
Stewart, Paul	Jacksonville	Morgan.
Sullivan, Mike	East St. Louis	St. Clair.
Suycott, Russell	Danville	Vermilion.
Songer, Bertha	Sparland	Marshall.
Schull, Clarice	Pana	Christian.
Schroeder, Helen	Chicago	Cook.
Scorzo, Carmen	do	Cook.
Soltys, Frank	do	Cook.
Stephenson, Hadley	Woodlawn	Jefferson.
Smothers, Iva	Bloomington	McLean.
Sights, Madge	Augusta	Hancock.
Thompson, Frank	Waverly	Morgan.

TABLE NO. 3—Concluded.

Name.	Residence.	County.
Tudor, Bessie.....	Waynesville.....	DeWitt.
Turnbull, Elsie.....	Batchtown.....	Calhoun.
Thomason, Arthur.....	Athens.....	Menard.
Valentine, Pauline.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Vogel, Irene.....	Burlington.....	Kane.
Wilson, Adelaide.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Wiley, Carl.....	Vienna.....	Johnson.
Whitfen, John.....	Granite City.....	St. Clair.
Wright, Harold.....	Fiatt.....	Fulton.
Walsh, Helen.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Wencliek, Mabel.....	do.....	Cook.
Wessels, Hannah.....	Tampico.....	Whiteside.
White, Georgia.....	Bloomington.....	McLean.
Wencliek, Lillian.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Wear, Fay.....	Colchester.....	McDonough.
Wilson, Floyd.....	LaHarpe.....	Hancock.
Widgren, Verne.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Whalen, William.....	Springfield.....	Sangamon.
Workman, Henry.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.
Watson, Hubert.....	Eldorado.....	Saline.
Williams, Fred.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Wallace, Martha.....	Alton.....	Madison.
Wright, Rosalie.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Wilson, Jessie.....	LaHarpe.....	Hancock.
Wirtz, Gusta.....	Maywood.....	Kane.
Weinberg, Rebecca.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Woterkotte, Joseph.....	Quincy.....	Adams.
White, Clarence.....	Balcoin.....	Union.
Waksmulski, Anna.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Youts, Wilfred.....	Taylorville.....	Christian.
Young, Hans.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Keich, Walter.....	do.....	Cook.
Keich, John.....	do.....	Cook.
Beske, August.....	do.....	Cook.
Genderman, Henry.....	do.....	Cook.
Hogue, Harry.....	Pinckneyville.....	Perry.
Kremski, Herbert.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Kinder, Nelle.....	Marion.....	Williamson.
Kenney, Mabel.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Marsh, Priscilla.....	do.....	Cook.
McDonald, Elsie.....	do.....	Cook.
Reavill, Lillian.....	Robinson.....	Crawford.
Taraldsen, Nordie.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Van Meter, Ethel.....	Divernon.....	Sangamon.
Wilson, Ruth.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Dempsey, Ora.....	Decatur.....	Macon.
Hughes, Garnet.....	Sheldon's Grove.....	Fulton.
Lynch, Cyril.....	Chicago.....	Cook.
Pumphrey, Virgil.....	Peoria.....	Peoria.
Rutz, Adelia.....	Belleville.....	St. Clair.
Stralcy, Donald Lee.....	Canton.....	Fulton.
Smith, Alexander.....	Chicago.....	Cook.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

HISTORY OF APPROPRIATIONS OF THE ILLINOIS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1916.

Appropriation for.	Balance in funds Oct. 1, 1914.	Appropriation 1915 and 1916.	Supplies transferred added to fund.	Vouchers forwarded for payment.	Balance in funds Sept. 30, 1916.
Ordinary operating expenses.....	\$56,211 40	\$157,395 36	\$202 53	\$145,611 01	\$68,198 28
Ordinary repairs and improvements....	1,018 01	6,340 75	.....	8,259 83	*901 07
Improvement of grounds.....	342 55	975 50	.....	1,009 03	309 02
Free circulating library.....	1,123 56	1,600 00	.....	1,710 11	1,013 45
Text books and apparatus.....	1,589 60	2,000 00	.....	3,197 58	392 02
Cold storage.....	6,500 00	.....	.....	6,500 00	.....
Slate roof.....	1,300 00	.....	.....	1,200 00	.....
Total.....	\$67,985 12	\$168,311 61	\$202 53	\$167,487 56	\$69,011 70

* Overdraft.

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1915.
Anderson, W. H.....	Horseshoeing.....	\$ 64 10
Arnold Bros.....	Food.....	547 20
Armour & Co.....	do.....	3,527 97
Atlas Produce Co.....	Food.....	294 90
A. P. W. Paper Co.....	Toiler Paper.....	71 28
Auburn Converting Co.....	Household supplies.....	5 89
Anehor Packing Co.....	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	8 25
Amber Electric Supply Co.....	Electrical supplies.....	51 14
American Printing House for Blind.....	Books.....	1,410 80
Andrews, A. H. & Co.....	Lumber.....	56 50
Allen, J. W. Mfg. Co.....	Household supplies.....	13 01
Amrine, J. W.....	Stock food.....	286 94
Amole Soap Co.....	Soap.....	17 86
American La France Fire Engine Co.....	Plumbing, heating, light and enginesupplies	1 96
Ameriean Bible Society.....	Books.....	31 05
Andrews, F. J. Lumber Co.....	Lumber and cement.....	688 98
American Turpentine Co.....	Turpentine.....	32 09
Aeme Cracker Co.....	Food.....	1 72
Andre & Andre.....	Furniture and records.....	1,382 83
Ameriean Laundry Machinery Co.....	Laundry supplies.....	9 60
American Contractors Publishing Co.....	Advertising.....	9 00
Aeme Asbestos Covering & Supply Co.....	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	33 50
Ameriean Carbonic Machinery Co.....	Ice plant.....	2,455 00
Bonansinga, P.....	Food.....	123 09
Bowman, Wm. Mfg. Co.....	Household supplies.....	3 75
Brown, J. P.....	Reecords and repairs on instruments.....	118 54
Boston Store.....	Dry goods and furniture.....	81 45
Barr & Huffman.....	Food.....	91 42
Briersdorf, J. R. & Co.....	Meats.....	9 26
Brennan, T. J.....	Tin and roofing.....	151 55
Boggs Brooin Corn Co.....	Broom corn.....	34 30
Blakeslee, G. S. & Co.....	Repairs on potato peeler.....	9 00
Belleville News Democrat.....	Advertising.....	6 75

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1915.
Betz, F. S. & Co.	Surgical instruments	\$ 26 70
Bradner Smith & Co.	Paper	352 06
Butler, J. W. & Co.	do	143 91
Buekbee Seed Store	Seeds and plants	3 10
Barber, A. H. & Co.	Food	28 35
Bambrook, A. W. & Co.	Repairs on machinery	53 16
Burley & Tyrrell	Crockery	66 09
Brady Bros.	Hardware and slate roofing	149 80
Cooper Engineering & Mfg. Co.	Braille Slates and writers	144 62
Chicago Engineer Supply Co.	Engineers' supplies	285 77
Chicago Springfield Coal Co.	Coal	1,196 61
Chicago & Alton	Freight and transportation	305 95
City of Jacksonville	Water	787 18
Central Union Telephone Co.	Telephone rental and tolls	109 10
Chicago State Hospital	Food	15 84
Carter, Louis	Labor in silo	4 00
Cudahy Packing Co.	Meats	715 45
Cannon Produce Co.	Food and produce	883 92
Cain, J. H. & Sons	Stock food	303 02
Campbell, Holton & Co.	Groceries	763 70
Clow, J. B. & Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	276 70
Carroll Millinery Parlors	Millinery	72 50
Chicago Springfield Coal Co.	Coal	3,558 58
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.	Dry goods	56 80
C., B. & Q. R. R. Co.	Freight and transportation	14 66
Cappell, Garrard, Co.	Produce	116 08
Chicago Flag & Decorating Co.	Flags	9 50
Crandall Packing Co.	Packing	5 25
Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis	Freight and transportation	15 96
Charles, Thos.	Kindergarten supplies	25 15
Cruse, Jas.	Harness supplies	10 45
Colburn, Birks & Co.	Drugs	166 68
Cody, W. D.	Flour and feed	257 20
Condon Bros.	Household supplies	2 50
Colonial Hospital Supply Co.	Drugs	3 18
Continental Supply Co.	Household supplies	1 80
Claus, J. F. Tea Co.	Coffee	1 80
Cohen, J. & Sons	Soap grease	26 40
Columbia Soap Co.	Soap	11 83
Cleary & Co.	Workshop supplies	10 86
Clarke, Wm. & Co.	Thread	30
Dunlap, R. I., Postmaster	Postage	310 00
Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse	Range repairs	85 37
Diamond Electric Supply Co.	Electrical supplies	85 20
Durand & Kasper Co.	Groceries	526 51
Dalton Adding Machine Co.	Adding machine	180 00
Dirksen, A. & Co.	Furniture	5 50
Davies Supply Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	5 25
Detroit Copper & Brass Roller Mining Co.	Brass	37 70
Daily Journal	Advertising	4 80
Dibelka, Jas.	Architect's fees	153 95
Denney, M. B.	Ensilage	170 00
DeGoveia, Jos.	Contract work	3,554 00
Elgin National Soap Co.	Soap and washing powders	10 26
Edwards & Hancock	Office supplies	22 19
Esler Subscription Agency	Subscriptions to magazines	76 70
Evening Sun	Advertising	9 25
Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	Scale tickets	3 97
Fairschild, M. H. & Bros.	Household supplies	2 00
Farwell, J. V. & Co.	Dry goods	76 14
Franks, J. W. & Co.	Printing	25 68
Field, Marshall & Co.	Dry goods	248 92
Forbes Tea & Coffee Co.	Coffee	81 72
Flanagan, A. & Co.	Subscriptions	4 07
Frye, H. E. & Co.	Produce	27 28
Federal Huber, Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	6 46
Gunther Hardware Co.	Workshop and household supplies	95 56
Globe Mfg. Co.	Workshop supplies	7 04
Goodfrend & Rosenberg	Office supplies	1 40
Gause, Bernard	Plumbers' supplies	25 00
Grik Furniture Co.	Mattresses	221 30
Gay, G. S.	Hardware	7 43
Great Lakes Supply Co.	Plumbing supplies	80
Goekel, Jos.	Subscription	2 50
Garden City Educational Co.	Kindergarten supplies	7 00
Gordon, M. C.	Decorating	350 00
Hamilton, G. W.	Barber work	278 90

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1915.
Hotts, Osear.....	Cider.....	\$ 6 08
Holman Soap Co.....	Household supplies.....	11 95
Haines & Essick.....	Books.....	39 48
Henderson, P. & Co.....	Seeds and bulbs.....	15 08
Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co.....	Workshop and household supplies.....	51 08
Hopper & Sons.....	Shoes, gym.....	26 90
Hernian, J.....	Coats and hats.....	33 75
Humphreys, J. F. & Co.....	Groceries.....	102 33
Herleye, Wm. & Co.....	Stock food.....	57 00
Harmon's Dry Good Store.....	Dry goods.....	5 00
Hanson-Bennett Agency.....	Book.....	1 60
Harrigan Bros.....	Salt.....	18 00
Haas, E. C.....	Household supplies.....	1 00
Home Rubber Co.....	Medical supplies.....	7 50
Horner, Henry.....	Groceries.....	63 14
Heinl, Jos. & Sons.....	Flowers.....	12 25
Hawks, Inc.....	Food.....	2 93
Hempel, C. A.....	Produce.....	12 15
Hofman, H. Floral Co.....	Flowers.....	2 00
Hadesman, J. P. & Co.....	Food.....	62 05
Hall Bros.....	Repairs on vehicles.....	186 00
Illinois Telephone Co.....	Rental and tolls.....	31 35
Illinois State Reformatory.....	Printing.....	166 14
Illinois Lithograpfing & Label Co.....	do.....	5 50
Illinois State Register.....	Advertisements and subscription.....	16 00
Illinois State Penitentiary.....	Clothing.....	237 74
Illinois Malleable Iron Co.....	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.....	30 67
Inland Supply Co.....	do.....	95 86
Industrial Moving Picture Co.....	Pro rata on movie pictures.....	19 50
Illinois State Journal.....	Subscription.....	5 00
Ide, A. L. & Co.....	Repairs on machinery.....	28 05
Illinois Steel Bridge Co.....	Castings.....	32 70
Jacksonville Ry. & Light Co.....	Gas and electricity and coke.....	951 74
Jelke, F. & Sons Co.....	Workshop supplies.....	142 80
Jobst Bethard Co.....	Groceries.....	965 43
Jourdan Packing Co.....	Meat.....	28 00
Jacksonville Courier Co.....	Subscription and advertising.....	76 05
Jackson, W. H.....	Repairs on organ.....	40 00
Jacksonville Plumbing & Heating Co.....	Plumbers' supplies.....	22 75
Jenkinson-Bode Co.....	Groceries and wrapping paper.....	49 62
Johns-Manville Co., H. W.....	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.....	90 91
Johnson, J. Bart.....	Records and repairs on instruments.....	36 10
Johnson, A. L.....	Thread.....	9 84
Jacksonville Bakery Co.....	Bread.....	40 80
Jacksonville Barber Supply Co.....	Barber chair and supplies.....	183 10
Jacksonville Journal.....	Subscription.....	5 00
Johnson, C. D.....	Produce.....	3 75
Jacksonville Packing Co.....	Meat.....	26 95
Klaholt, A. W.....	Blankets and linen.....	320 64
Kirk, Jas. F. & Co.....	Soap.....	75 60
Kleine Henry & Co.....	Shoe polish.....	3 90
Katzinger, H. & Co.....	Household supplies.....	11 56
Knowles, Earl.....	Assistant in printing office.....	60 29
Kellogg Bros.....	Repairs on machinery.....	99 15
Kerber Packing Co.....	Meats.....	114 28
Keystone Foundry Co.....	Engineers' supplies.....	3 65
Kankakee Decorating Co.....	Paint.....	5 50
Keyless Lock Co.....	Mail boxes.....	45 00
Kircher, H. F. & Co.....	Stock foods.....	66 00
Kleine, A.....	Costumes.....	5 00
Kessenberger, A. & Co.....	Household supplies.....	4 00
Kohnstamm & Co.....	Laundry supplies.....	20 92
Keenan, H. F.....	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.....	9 00
Keystone Oil Mfg. Co.....	Oils.....	2 00
Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co.....	Crackers.....	4 61
Lincoln State School & Colony.....	Household supplies.....	1 60
Lavo Co. of America.....	do.....	21 92
Lawson Shores Engraving Co.....	Workshop supplies.....	11 45
Lyon & Healy.....	Music.....	2 64
Ladew, E. S., Estate.....	Paints and plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.....	3 00
Leach, G. A.....	Eggs.....	33 60
Loewenthal New Co.....	Belts and belt lacing.....	12 90
Luthy & Locher.....	Produce.....	3 75
Lockwood Mfg. Co.....	Workshop supplies.....	23 65
Lincoln-Springfield Coal Co.....	Coal.....	62 82
Lynch-Clarisey Co.....	Oils.....	10 01

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1915.
Laelede-Christy Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	\$ 16 08
Miller Bros.	Food	4 20
McGinnis & Co.	Shoe repairing	71 35
Mueller Mfg. Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	74 56
Myers Bros.	Clothing and suit cases	54 10
Macomb, S. P., Co.	Pipe	6 50
MacVeagh, Franklin & Co.	Groceries	126 63
Montgomery, H. C., Personal	Traveling expenses	22 72
Messinger, W. D. & Co.	Paper	8 49
Magull, Len G.	Printing	61 10
Miller & Sehy	Tinning	144 53
Machinists' Supply Co.	Engineer's supplies	26 82
Mercurio Spaghetti Co.	Spaghetti	4 39
Millar, E. B.	Extracts	6 30
McCourtney, D. G., Co.	Dry goods	41 62
Morehouse & Wells	Hardware	5 95
Mahin, H. Melvin	Workshop supplies	72 02
Mullenix & Hamilton	Candy	11 35
McNeil & Higgins	Groceries	231 59
Martin, I. N. & Co.	Dry goods	9 88
Monarch Electric Co.	Electric supplies	13 77
McDonald, J. L.	Household supplies	3 00
Moore, Case, Lyman & Hubbard	Premium on bond	7 50
Michigan School for Blind	Books	379 50
McClurg, A. C. & Co.	do.	7 99
Maple Flake Mills	Corn flakes	22 80
McManus, B. & Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	40 68
Mandel Bros.	Dry goods	3 05
McMaster-Carr Supply Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	7 25
McCarthy-Gebhard Co.	Cigars	3 50
Molineaux, Edw.	Assistant in printing office	75 34
Mayer, O. F. & Co.	Meat	68 54
National Aniline & Chemical Co.	Laundry supplies	44 24
National Sanitary Association	do.	6 80
News-Democrat	Advertising	8 25
Newton-Hoit Co.	Household supplies	13 73
Newman Clock Co.	Watchman's clock	55 00
Newman, Wm., Jr.	Hire of automobiles	7 17
Oakford & Fahnestock	Groceries	295 72
Our Saviour's Hospital	Rent of operating room, etc.	25 15
Orr & Lockett	Hardware	1 08
Obermeyer, J. A. & Sons	Stationery and drugs	14 97
O'Connell & Kunz	Household supplies	4 31
O'Connell, King & McManus	Premium on bond	5 50
Pape & Loos	Feed and flour	135 00
Peacock Inn	Candy	3 00
Perkins Institution	Books	11 55
Peck & Hills	Workshop	11 25
Peet Bros.	Household supplies	2 60
Pennsylvania Chocolate Co.	Cocoa	2 88
Powers Reg. Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	35 45
Primary Education Co.	Subscription	1 50
Puhl-Webb Co.	Extracts	6 80
Phelps & Osborne	Dry goods	13 29
Peoria Journal	Advertising	5 25
Pratt & Lambert	Paint	6 40
Piries, J. C.	Paints and varnishes	30 00
Illinois State Journal	Subscription and advertising	12 25
Richardson, O. W.	Furniture and rugs	309 36
Reid, Murehoh & Co.	Food	90 65
Read, W. B. & Co.	Books and stationery	56 87
Rice, J. H. & Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	22 08
Robinson, G. H. & Co.	do.	2 00
Root & McBride	Dry goods and workshop supplies	17 15
Rub-No-More Co.	Household supplies	26 25
Rapp's Harness Shop	Repairs on harness	6 25
Richey, Glenn	Assistant in printing office	10 30
Rawlings, J. E.	Food	3 40
Rhoads & Fillman	Dry goods	2 80
Swift & Co.	Food	1,765 37
Seaver, J. B.	Horse shoeing	26 00
Snyder Lee & Fuel Co.	Ice	241 20
Sulzberger & Sons Co.	Food	338 19
Schwertmann Toy Co.	Toys	9 25
Southern Illinois Penitentiary	Clothing	488 73
Sprague, Warner & Co.	Food	22 88
Simonds Hardware Co.	Hardware	9 75

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1915.
Sawyer Biscuit Co.	Crackers.	\$ 41 13
Shapleigh Hardware Co.	Workshop and household supplies.	54 05
Sherwin-Williams Co.	Paints and varnishes.	322 62
Steele-Wedeles Co.	Food.	211 96
Southern Cotton Oil & Trading Co.	do.	197 78
Sanderson, C. H.	Traveling expenses.	65
Springfield Paper Co.	Paper.	66 70
Scott, Dr. C. E.	Veterinary's services.	31 75
Schureman, C. C.	Repairs on machinery.	162 50
Sieber, G. A.	Electrical repairs.	246 99
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	Household supplies.	43 68
Selle, H. W. & Co.	Workshop supplies.	90
Stewart, A. G., Paper Co.	Paper.	26 80
Smith, H. L. & B. W.	Hardware.	15 75
Stein, Hirsch & Co.	Food.	81
Smith, Alice M.	Traveling expenses.	3 50
Sinclair Mfg. Co.	Lye.	9 75
Sutliff & Case.	Drugs.	88 16
Sterne & Maley.	Laundry supplies.	24 56
Schultz & Baujan.	Flour.	233 55
Singer, S. M., Co.	Sewing machine.	30 00
Stover Mfg. Co.	Household supplies.	4 30
Thompson Produce Co.	Produce.	44 21
Troy Laundry Machine Co.	Laundry supplies.	14 70
Taylor, D. S. & Son.	Produce.	73 15
Troxell, Kikendall & Co.	Premium on bond.	40 00
Tiehnor, L. L.	Fruit.	6 00
Tendiek, Thies & Tendiek.	Brick.	17 00
Union Casualty Insurance Co.	Premium on bond.	36 00
Velth, A. & H.	Beads.	87 59
Vaughan's Seed Store.	Raffia, seeds and bulbs.	57 63
Vaseoncellos, A. P.	Food.	5 10
Western Electric Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.	306 45
Wilson Grocery Co.	Food.	7 50
Waddell, F. J. & Co.	Dry goods and clothing.	59 00
Western Union Telegraph Co.	Telegrams.	14 29
Washburne-Crosby Co.	Flour.	209 20
Waldman, Sam.	Household supplies.	8 30
Wiedlocher, F.	Flour and stock food.	513 40
Woolworth & Co.	Toys.	6 30
Western Plumbing Supply Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.	16 32
Wabash R. R. Co.	Freight and transportation.	25 33
Wilson, H. W., Co.	Subscription.	6 00
Wheelock & Co.	Crockery.	16 05
Wolff Mfg. Co.	Household supplies.	8 50
Waterbury, B. G., Corporation.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.	23 79
Watson, G. E.	Paints.	87 87
Western Brick Co.	Brick.	45 50
Xavier Braille Publishing Co.	Subscriptions.	59 25
H. C. Montgomery.	Miscellaneous purchases.	1,106 83
Total.		\$85,873 75

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES.

On account of all funds, showing the names of firms and individuals, the total cost of supplies purchased or service rendered, during the year ending September 30, 1916.

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1916.
Armour & Co.	Food.	\$306 45
Aaron Bros.	Produce.	9 75
Aeme Cracker Co.	Crackers.	41 74
Amole Soap Co.	Soap.	29 40
Anderson, W. H.	Horse shoeing.	38 40
Atlass, Frank, Produce.	Produce.	163 05
American Carbonic Machinery Co.	Carbonic acid gas.	15 61
Aeme Asbestos Covering Co.	Plumbing supplies.	6 30
American Printing House for Blind.	Books.	389 50

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1916.
Arnold Bros.	Food	\$ 78 02
Aluminum Cooking Utensils Co.	Cooking utensils	14 27
Adams & Elting Co.	Plumbing	1 25
Ameriean Laundry Machine Co.	Laundry supplies	12 50
Ameriean Turpentine Co.	Turpentine	13 74
Allen, W. D., Mfg. Co.	Engine supplies	36
Alton State Hospital	Pears	40 00
Andrews, F. J., Lumber Co.	Lumber	168 34
Brady Bros. Hardware Co.	Hardware	35 25
Barber, A. H. & Co.	Cheese	130 14
Buckthorpe, R. R.	Dental	11 00
Bradner, Smith & Co.	Paper	557 96
Brown, J. P.	Musical instrument repairs	72 98
Bonansinga, P.	Food	44 25
Betz, F. S., Co.	Surgical instruments	7 30
Briersdorf, J. R. & Co.	Meats	85 87
Brown, W. H.	Apple butter	9 90
Bennet, Dreyer, Buss Belt Co.	Belt laeing	6 89
Boggs Broom Corn Co.	Broom corn	18 00
Bowe, Dr. Edw.	Medical services	10 00
Blakeslee, G. S. & Co.	Potato peeler repairs	13 50
Belleville News Demoeat.	Advertising	9 15
Craftsman Publishing Co.	Subscription	3 00
Childs, W. F. & Co.	Paints	152 10
Chicago Engine Supply Co.	Engine supplies	83 17
Carroll, Thomas	Traveling expenses	31 84
Charles, Thos.	Kindergarten supplies	43 09
Central Union Telephone Co.	Telephone tolls	109 30
City of Jacksonville	Water	916 27
Cannon Produce Co.	Food	799 84
Cudahy Paeking Co.	do	304 41
Cannon Bros.	do	86 75
Campbell, Holton & Co.	do	307 99
Chicago Flag & Decorating Co.	Flags	16 00
Carson, Pirie, Seott & Co.	Dry goods	343 81
Cudahy Orehards Co.	Fig marmalade	18 00
Cain, J. H. & Sons.	Stoek feed	155 84
Cohen, J. & Sons	Soap grease	9 35
Carmen Laundry Supply Co.	Laundry supplies	51 81
Chicago & Alton R. R.	Transportation and freight	261 07
Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis R. R.	do	3 68
Colburn, Birks & Co.	Drugs	44 86
Cable Co.	Tuning supplies	1 31
Cooper Eng. Co.	Braille slates and writers	393 89
Central Supply Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	37 69
Carroll Millinery Parlors	Millinery	94 50
Carpenter, G. B.	Hammock eord	6 70
Cappel, Garrard & Co.	Produce	148 35
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R.	Transportation and freight	17 65
Chicago Tube & Iron Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	189 54
Crandall Paeking Co.	do	12 81
Colonial Hospital Supply Co.	Plaster casts and drugs	53 30
Chicago State Hospital	Food	14 75
Cherry's Livery	Hearse and earriage	35 00
Cody, J. H. & Sons	Paints	230 00
Dunlap, R. I.	Postage	325 00
Durand & Kasper	Groceries	275 06
Dirksen, A. & Sons	Furniture	45 00
Dwight Bros. Paper Co.	Paper	7 08
Detroit White Lead & Color Works	Paint	2 96
Diamond Varnish Co.	Varnish	3 45
Davenport Mfg. Co.	Workshop supplies	25 20
Dalton Adding Machine Co.	Paper	2 25
Estaque Joe	Subscription	3 50
Evening Sun	Advertising	8 75
Farwell, J. V. & Co.	Dry goods	134 24
Field, Marshall & Co.	do	11 50
Fisher Bros. Dry Goods Co.	do	10 50
Federal-Huber Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	15 34
Fitze & Westenberger	Dry goods	10 50
Fuller & Wagner	Cello	30 00
Floreth Dry Goods Co.	Dry goods	13 25
Fish & Co.	Furniture	3 85
Farley Candy Co.	Candy	2 10
Garden City Educational Co.	Raffia	4 00
Graham Paper Co.	Paper	21 15
Garloek Paeking Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	1 20

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1916.
Gunther Hardware Co.	Hardware.	\$ 38 52
Gause, Bernard	Water mains.	\$79 00
Hagerty, Anna	Potatoes.	5 00
Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co.	Workshop and household supplies.	70 38
Hawkins, G. W.	Paints.	51 40
Herman, T.	Tomatoes.	1 00
Hadesinan, J. P. & Co.	Food.	492 47
Hooker, H. M. & Co.	Paints and varnishes.	82
Hall Bros.	Repairs on vehicles.	66 25
Hopper, Dr. C. M.	Dental work.	13 00
Haase, C. L. A. & Co.	Fish.	4 80
Hawks, Inc.	Groceries.	15 17
Hatfield, C. L. & Co.	Produce.	23 42
Hamilton, G. W.	Barber work.	271 78
Heini, Joseph & Sons	Flowers.	5 00
Hunnewell Soap Co.	Soap.	16 10
Holman Soap Co.	do.	29 46
Humphrey, J. F. & Co.	Groceries.	27 54
Harrigan Bros.	Salt.	29 08
Harmon's Dry Goods Store	Dry goods and toys.	13 00
Hofmann, H. H. Floral Co.	Flowers.	5 00
Hopper's Shoe Store	Shoes.	2 25
Henderson, P. & Co.	Seeds and plants.	6 05
Horner, H. & Co.	Groceries.	16 59
Hanisch, R. & Sons	Harness and stable supplies.	45
Hood & Larson	Candy.	2 52
Hopper & Hofmann	Hay.	324 49
Illinois Telephone Co.	Telephone tolls.	36 68
Illinois State Penitentiary	Clothing.	228 50
Illinois State Register	Subscription.	15 00
Illinois State Reformatory	Printing.	47 70
Illinois Printing Co.	Office supplies.	32 10
Illinois Lithographing & Label Co.	Printing.	12 75
Inland Supply Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	47 47
Illinois Boiler Cleaning Co.	Boiler compound.	17 50
Illinois School for Deaf.	Food.	152 35
Illinois Steel Bridge Co.	Castings.	6 00
Illinois Courier Co.	Advertisements and printing.	28 75
Jacksonville Ry. & Light Co.	Coke, gas and electricity.	1,262 50
Jourdan Packing Co.	Meat.	27 23
Johnson, A. L.	Thread.	18 08
Jefferson Printing Co.	Office supplies.	67 08
Jobst, Bethard Co.	Groceries.	1,045 85
Jelke, F. & Sons Co.	Workshop supplies.	37 72
Jaekson, W. H.	Repairs on organ.	102 00
Jacksonville Foundry Co.	Repairs on machinery.	3 10
Jenkinson, Bode, Co.	Wrapping paper.	129 40
Jacksonville Plumbing & Heating Co.	Plumbing supplies.	6 05
Johns-Manville, H. W., Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	-15 53
Jacksonville Journal Co.	Advertisements and subscription.	39 29
Jeffery, G. C. & Co.	Workshop supplies.	18 40
Jacksonville Engineering Co.	Surveying.	5 00
Johnson & Hackett	Stove.	225 00
Jacksonville Packing Co.	Meat.	22 38
Johnson, B. J., Soap Co.	Soap.	10 79
Jacksonville State Hospital	Calf.	100 00
Klaholt, A. W.	Blankets and table linen.	183 49
Kleine, Hy & Co.	Shoe polish.	7 45
Kankakee State Hospital	Food.	12 00
Kircher, H. F. & Co.	Stock food.	126 00
Kellogg Machinery Co.	Repairs on machinery.	15 25
Kresge's 10 cent Store	Xmas tree ornament.	3 00
Kohnstamm, H. & Co.	Laundry supplies.	32 55
K. C. Flour Mills Co.	Flour.	279 00
Klein, Adolph	Costumes.	5 00
Kavanagh Bros. & Co.	Workshop supplies.	42 02
Koenig, E. L.	Household supplies.	2 95
Kirk, Jas. F. & Co.	Soap.	10 80
Kellogg Bros.	Repairs on machinery.	37 70
Lynch-Clarisey Co.	Oils.	21 50
Loewenthal New Co.	Belt lacing.	75
Lavo Co. of America	Laundry supplies.	5 28
Lurton, Wm.	Tomatoes.	2 00
Lincoln Springfield Coal Co.	Coal.	3,847 32
Luthy & Locker.	Onions.	26 50
LaCrosse Lumber Co.	Lumber.	10 86
Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co.	Crackers.	3 99

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. -30, 1916.
Lincoln State School & Colony	Brushes	\$ 5 40
Little Chronicle Co.	Subscription	50
McClurg, A. C. & Co.	Books	6 77
McCourtney Dry Goods Co.	Dry goods	15 60
McGowan, F. M. & Co.	Blankets	234 00
Meany, P. J.	Horse shoeing	9 00
Manhattan, Rubber Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	44 85
Montgomery, H. C. (Personal)	Traveling expenses	28 73
Morehouse Wells & Co.	Hardware	25 14
McNeil & Higgins	Food	108 10
Mayer, O. F. & Co.	Meat	47 19
McMahon Biscuit Co.	Crackers	17 60
Molineaux, E. S.	Assistant in printing office	110 83
McGinnis, J. & Co.	Shoe repairing	73 25
Moore, Case, Lyman & Hubbard	Premium on bond	7 50
Magill, L. G.	Printing	18 90
McVeagh, F. & Co.	Food	84 24
Mueller, H. & Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	30 28
Merrigan's	Candy	1 95
Myers Bros.	Clothing and suitcases	21 60
Masury, J. W. & Co.	Paint	42
Miller, E. B. & Co.	Coffee	21 40
Mullenix & Hamilton	Candy	75
Monarch Electric Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	1 58
Michigan School for Blind	Books	45 35
Macomb Sewer Pipe Co.	Pipe	7 35
Macoupin County Enquirer	Advertising	9 00
Miller & Sehy	Tin	11 15
McNamara, Wm. & Co.	Stock feed	280 20
Mahin, H. Melvin	Workshop supplies	7 28
Miller, Bryant & Pierce Co.	Office supplies	72
Messenger & Co.	Paper	1 73
Nunes, Wm.	Ensilage	444 00
Newman Clock Co.	Dials for clock	6 11
Novel Music Embossing Co.	Subscriptions	22 50
National Aniline & Chemical Co.	Laundry supplies	5 00
National Supply & Equipment Co.	Workshop supplies	1 86
Oakford & Fahnestock	Groceries	834 84
Our Saviour's Hospital	Hospital services	69 75
Outlook for Blind	Subscription	1 00
Pape & Loos	Stock feed and flour	170 95
Pick, A. & Co.	Household	14 61
Puhl, Webb & Co.	Coffee	10 80
Pure Carbonic Co.	Carbonic acid gas	13 75
Perkins Institute for Blind	Books	51 50
Pennsylvania Chocolate Co.	Chocolate	6 96
Potter, M. L.	Paint	10 50
Piano Parts Mfg. Co.	Tuning supplies	2 07
Pires, J. C.	Paint	7 50
Quincy Produce Co.	Groceries	10 80
Reid Murdoch & Co.	do	71 33
Rossi, P. & Co.	Spaghetti	2 19
Root & McBride	Dry goods	21 21
Richardson, O. W. & Co.	Furniture	61 13
Rub-No-More	Washing powder	18 56
Read, W. B. & Co.	Office supplies and magazine subscriptions	164 42
Rapp's Harness Store	Repairs on harness	15 10
Seehausen, Wehrs Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	25 32
Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.	Ice	34 95
Standard Oil Co.	Oil	11 43
Seaver, J. B.	Horse shoeing	25 50
Scott & Morgan	Premium on bond	50 33
Swift & Co.	Food	4,205 75
Schureman, J. C.	Repairs on machinery	46 40
Sinclair Mfg. Co.	Lye	6 48
Shapleigh Hardware Co.	Hardware	69 09
Sutliff & Case	Drugs	67 62
Sanger Merc. Co.	Food	7 56
Sturtevant Mill Co.	Coal crusher	150 00
Scott, Dr. C. E.	Veterinary's services	79 00
Sawyer Biscuit Co.	Crackers	16 50
Simpson, F. S., Fruit Co.	Apples	275 00
Sprague Warner & Co.	Groceries	48 67
Springfield Paper Co.	Paper	91 00
Stearne & Maley Co.	Laundry supplies	17 50
Sheppard, Strassheim Co.	Household supplies	1 27
Steele, Wedeles Co.	Groceries	270 44

Name of firm or individual.	Classification of articles purchased or services rendered.	Year end- ing Sept. 30, 1916.
Sehloeman Leather Co.	Belt lacing	\$ 1 60
Southern Illinois Penitentiary	Clothing	263 11
Seiber, J. C.	Electrical work	6 00
Arthur Schiller	Crockery and glasswear	29 61
Sweeney, D. E.	Lime and sand	33 20
Stearnes Steel Range Co.	Household supplies	1 13
Southern Cotton Oil Trading Co.	Food	357 95
Sprague, Smith & Co.	Glass	26 14
Sulzberger & Sons Co.	Food	361 96
Sanozone Co.	Disinfectant	4 50
Sehmalz & Co.	Food	11 60
Smith, L. C. & Co.	Typewriters	166 05
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	Machine	40 00
Taylor, G. A.	Produce	88 19
Troxell, Kikendall Co.	Premium on bond	40 00
Thomas & Clark	Crackers	16 50
Thompson Produce Co.	Produce	40 00
Tendick, Thies & Tendick	Brick	8 50
Veith, A. & H.	Beads and wire	71 74
Vieira, E. M., Mrs.	Tomatoes	3 11
Vaughan's Seed Store	Raffia and bulbs	4 75
Western Union Telegraph Co.	Telegrams	14 15
Wabash R. R. Co.	Freight and transportation	33 64
Wilson & Co.	Food	243 39
Wiedlocher & Co.	Stock food and flour	376 70
Wilson Grocery Co.	Food	76 98
Wolf Chemical Co.	Fly killer	3 70
Woolworth & Co.	Toys	9 30
Waddell & Co.	Clothing	84 50
Worthington, H. R.	Paints and varnishes	56 41
Western Electric Co.	Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies	95 99
Watson, G. E.	Paints	1 60
Wheelock & Co.	Crockery and glassware	131 54
Wagner & George	Repairs on violins	3 15
Western Brick Co.	Brick	15 00
Xavier, Braille Publishing Co.	Subscriptions	10 00
Ziegler Publishing Co.	do.	2 40
H. C. Montgomery	Miscellaneous purchases	950 41
Total		\$81,613 81

CONSOLIDATED PAY ROLL.

Illinois School for the Blind, Jacksonville, Illinois, showing the salaries and wages of each officer and employee on account of all funds for the twenty-four months ending September 30, 1916.

Name.	Position.	Term of service.			Year ending Sept. 30, 1915.	Year ending Sept. 30, 1916.
		Mos.	Days.	Hrs.		
Montgomery, H. C.	Managing officer	24			\$2,010 04	\$2,070 04
Adams, A. L.	Eye surgeon	24			300 00	300 00
Ament, A. E.	Teacher	17	1		615 86	693 62
Baxter, G. E.	Physician	18	8		483 52	492 41
Bayles, Alice	Nurse	17	1		457 17	440 00
Bray, Mrs. H. E.	do.		17			36 41
Blackford, Lottie	Domestic	4	18			116 45
Brewer, Lizzie	do.	18	5		207 52	309 17
Brown, Elsie L.	Teacher	17	1		652 80	1,063 20
Brown, J. F.	Fireman	7	18½		180 73	226 10
Brown, J. W.	Electrician	24			732 00	948 00
Burdick, Fannie	Nurse		14		50 00	
Bryant, Mary	Attendant	24			120 00	120 00
Brokaw, Marion	Laborer	10				417 83
Butler, Cora	Domestic	18	1		205 52	299 17
Butler, Pelles	do.	18	14		201 52	261 83
Carroll, Thos.	Traveling steward	1				150 00
Cahill, Thos.	Watchman		9		15 10	
Carroll, P. J.	Laborer	24			401 50	531 00
Carson, Besse	Domestic	19	25		194 85	341 28

Name.	Position.	Term of service.			Year ending Sept. 30, 1915.	Year ending Sept. 30, 1916.
		Mos.	Days.	Hrs.		
Carson, Metta.....	Domestic.....	13	-----	-----	\$ 207 52	\$ 105 00
Chism, Lulu.....	Housemother.....	17	7	-----	358 00	327 50
Coley, Minnie.....	Teacher.....	17	17	-----	705 11	804 57
Conway, Margaret.....	..do.....	16	7	-----	390 45	468 86
Corn, Leslie T.....	Laborer.....	12	25	-----	35 00	378 90
Cooper, Ethel.....	Domestic.....	18	14	-----	207 52	309 17
Crabbe, C. M.....	Housefather.....	17	7	-----	310 50	204 17
Currey, A. W.....	Cook.....	9	25	-----	40 00	372 03
Crabbe, M. B.....	Teacher.....	17	1	-----	486 00	853 16
Cross, Ina.....	Domestic.....	6	10	-----	-----	157 26
Crowe, M. J.....	Baker.....	-----	19	-----	60 80	-----
Cruzan, Clara.....	Cook.....	-----	3	-----	2 42	-----
Curtis, Carrie.....	Domestic.....	16	22	-----	190 50	274 17
Davis, J. I.....	Baker.....	18	14	-----	599 55	736 69
Denney, M. B.....	Fireman.....	9	25	-----	24 00	427 20
Dower, T. J.....	Foreman broom shop.....	18	17	-----	384 91	344 81
Doyle, Agnes K.....	Housekeeper.....	22	25	-----	487 50	659 55
Draper, Susan A.....	Teacher.....	16	23	-----	627 34	1,054 60
Fanning, Frank.....	Sewer builder.....	-----	-----	628	-----	251 20
Fitzgerald, John.....	Teacher of adult blind.....	2	23	-----	-----	195 19
Filson, E. H.....	Teacher.....	18	11	-----	1,114 10	1,129 86
Flood, L. J.....	..do.....	17	4	-----	724 67	964 90
Forsberg, Adolph.....	Laundryman.....	23	18	-----	513 87	585 00
Franksen, Theodora.....	Teacher.....	17	1	-----	371 10	535 06
Gemmill, Anna.....	Housekeeper.....	22	7	-----	610 00	614 00
Gerlach, G. W.....	Teacher.....	16	27	-----	483 99	592 41
Gruber, Marie.....	Domestic.....	4	11	-----	-----	110 61
Grant, Luitia.....	..do.....	24	-----	-----	337 50	420 00
Gross, Meda F.....	Physical culture director.....	7	25	-----	648 29	-----
Guinnan, Minnie.....	Domestic.....	-----	9	-----	6 00	-----
Halpin, Katherine.....	Housemother.....	17	14	-----	372 00	375 00
Harmon, Josephine.....	Teacher.....	16	28	-----	592 79	1,058 90
Hayden, Nellie.....	Domestic.....	7	16	-----	217 97	-----
Hayden, Frank.....	Painter.....	-----	6½	-----	20 80	-----
Hamm, Osear.....	Laborer.....	-----	1	-----	2 00	-----
Heckel, F. J.....	Storekeeper.....	10	1	-----	580 00	169 54
Hegarty, Mary.....	Cook.....	24	-----	-----	428 74	612 00
Henrick, Mary.....	Domestic.....	6	20	-----	133 33	-----
Hegarty, Sara M.....	Cook.....	-----	8	-----	5 33	-----
Herman, C.....	Laborer.....	21	7	-----	496 00	517 06
Hines, Katherine.....	Domestic.....	18	5	-----	179 52	296 84
Hogan, Katherine.....	..do.....	16	13	-----	124 93	257 83
Hogan, Ethel.....	..do.....	8	13	-----	175 67	-----
Humphrey, Frances.....	Teacher.....	16	26	-----	612 45	831 47
Imboden, E. H.....	Housefather.....	14	-----	-----	55 17	340 00
Inglis, Louise B.....	Principal literary dept.....	16	18	-----	1,308 18	1,376 10
Immenga, H. G.....	Housefather.....	8	9	-----	290 50	-----
James, Helen McD.....	Director of music.....	17	-----	-----	1,277 36	1 063 21
Jordan, Dora.....	Domestic.....	19	7	-----	238 00	309 17
Keating, Minnie.....	Cook.....	3	7	-----	10 03	129 00
Kaule, F. A.....	Engineer.....	2	-----	-----	200 00	-----
Kenyon, Jean.....	Cook.....	18	25	-----	303 71	554 80
Kenyon, Jet.....	Domestic.....	16	7	-----	168 17	307 99
Kimball, Ermel.....	Teacher.....	14	24	-----	408 51	827 69
Kimball, Ethel.....	..do.....	16	24	-----	461 00	628 31
Kohl, Sophia.....	Domestic.....	-----	13	-----	-----	10 83
Layman, Elizabeth.....	Teacher.....	4	20	-----	68 83	300 34
Lagergren, Anna.....	..do.....	16	6	-----	713 27	954 81
Lazenby, Ida.....	Domestic.....	8	21	-----	176 94	-----
Ludwig, Ella.....	Cook and laundress.....	1	10	-----	37 37	-----
Ludwig, Wm.....	Laborer.....	24	-----	-----	468 50	672 00
Lynch, Margaret.....	Domestic.....	24	-----	-----	255 00	385 00
Martin, Flossie.....	..do.....	22	17	-----	249 99	228 40
Main, Fannie.....	..do.....	5	8	-----	-----	140 50
Meyer, Albert.....	Laborer.....	18	5	-----	261 01	438 66
Meyer, B. D.....	Stenographer.....	18	25	-----	641 66	957 00
Meyer, F. G.....	Teacher.....	17	2	-----	462 91	597 93
Miller, J. W.....	Engineer.....	22	-----	-----	750 00	950 00
Montgomery, C. C.....	Laborer.....	15	20	-----	154 00	516 00
Montgomery, Ina.....	Domestic.....	2	-----	-----	-----	57 00
McGlason, Lillian.....	House mother.....	17	7	-----	250 00	367 50
McEvers, Pearl.....	Domestic.....	8	15	-----	-----	215 63
McGovern, Thos.....	Laborer.....	20	14	-----	285 64	511 66
McGuire, Mary.....	Domestic.....	18	12	-----	200 57	261 83

Name.	Position.	Term of service.			Year ending Sept. 30, 1915.	Year ending Sept. 30, 1916.
		Mos.	Days.	Hrs.		
McLane, S. B.	Storekeeper	9	21			\$ 688 64
Newman, Besso	Teacher	17	1		\$413 00	869 02
Owens, Eura	Domestic	9	7		34 00	225 43
Owens, Maude	Nurse	3	20			237 85
Patterson, W. S.	Watchman	23	22		595 35	696 00
Peaker, J. W.	Laborer	18	4		589 87	342 02
Peake, Mrs. C. O.	Nurse		38		54 29	
Penfield, L. R.	Chief clerk	1	15		150 00	
Phalen, Rose	Domestic	14	19		189 94	194 01
Price, Emma	do.	17	26		207 52	288 17
Raynor, Emma	Teacher	13	22		772 52	654 32
Reed, Mary	do.	17	1		906 67	1,063 20
Rodenberg, L. W.	Blind printer	18	14		454 37	489 36
Ring, Nelle	Domestic	9	18		19 17	226 50
Ryan, Anna	Domestic	23	27		270 16	320 00
Seaver, Catherine	do.	1	23		26 07	26 40
Sanderson, C. H.	House father	24			410 00	420 00
Sherry, Mae	Domestic	24			255 00	420 00
Smith, Alice	Teacher	17	3		566 10	1,063 20
Smith, Nannie	Attendant	24			365 00	420 00
Snyder, Anna	Seamstress	21	29		341 05	599 07
Summers, Faye	Domestic	2	6			54 81
Stewart, Stella	do.		6			5 00
Snyder, Wm.	Laborer		6½		20 80	
Straight, Edith	Nurse		8		28 57	
Tucker, Nellie	Domestic		10			8 33
Tholen, Mary	Nurse		7			15 00
Vieira, E. M.	Fireman	23	25		632 00	593 63
Wade, Ina	Domestic	8				204 00
Wiswell, R. R.	Laborer		13			19 06
Hamilton, Carl	Stenographer		36			66 18
Moon, Frauncie	Librarian	19	7		298 86	307 75
Brown, Walter	Brick mason			358	276 50	33 60
Devlin, John	Painter			944	264 60	160 20
Montgomery, Jas. C.	Carpenter			960	302 00	178 00
McNamara, Andrew	do.			947	295 50	178 00
Russell, Jerry	Laborer			443	177 75	21 60
Hayes, Patrick	Painter			728	232 20	95 40
Fanning, Frank	Sewer builder			364	145 60	
Miller, H. J.	Tinner			259½	155 70	
Waddell, Sam	Plasterers' helper			16	5 60	
McNamara, Dan	Masons' helper			256	104 40	
Woodson, Walter	do.			38	12 60	
Leidy, Chas.	Brick mason			49	29 40	
Keating, Dan	Plasterer			16	9 60	
Brennan, J. J.	Tinner				33 60	
Brennan, J. H.	do.				28 00	
Bento, Thos.	Plasterers' helper			172	114 40	
Wells, Ellsworth	Plasterer			24	16 80	
Harvey, James	Brick mason			108	64 80	
Jordan, Horace	Fireman	10			392 00	
Total					\$40,843 98	\$50,096 13

STATEMENT OF COUNTY AND INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS.

Illinois School for the Blind, year ending September 30, 1915.

COUNTY LEDGER.

1914			<i>Dr.</i>		
Oct.	1	To	balance in county ledger.....	\$1,149 27	
1915					
Sept.	30		transfers from individual ledger.....	49 16	
			clothing, etc., charged.....	1,555 42	
			<i>Cr.</i>		
		By	amount paid by counties.....		\$1,733 01
			balance in county ledger end of year.....		1,020 84
				<u>\$2,753 85</u>	<u>\$2,753 85</u>

INDIVIDUAL LEDGER.

1915			<i>Dr.</i>		
Oct.	1	To	balance in individual ledger.....	\$810 65	
			clothing, etc., charged.....	387 01	
			<i>Cr.</i>		
Sept.	30	By	institution transfers.....		\$ 13 30
			transfer from county ledger.....		49 16
			institution transfers.....		31 15
			amount paid by individuals.....		229 61
			balance in individual ledger end of year.....		874 44
				<u>\$1,197 66</u>	<u>\$1,197 66</u>

COUNTY LEDGER.

1915			<i>Dr.</i>		
Oct.	1	To	balance in county ledger.....	\$1,020 84	
			clothing, etc., charged.....	1,393 76	
			<i>Cr.</i>		
Sept.	30	By	amount paid by counties.....		\$ 829 74
			balance in county ledger end of year.....		1,584 86
				<u>\$2,414 60</u>	<u>\$2,414 60</u>

INDIVIDUAL LEDGER.

1915			<i>Dr.</i>		
Oct.	1	To	balance in individual ledger.....	\$874 44	
			clothing charged.....	303 13	
			<i>Cr.</i>		
Sept.	30	By	amount paid by individuals.....		\$ 76 98
			balance in individual ledger end of year.....		1,100 59
				<u>\$1,177 57</u>	<u>\$1,177 57</u>

MAX KUHNSTADER FUND.

1915			<i>Dr.</i>		
Jan.	6	Received and placed with the Sangamon Loan & Trust Co., Springfield, Ill.....		\$500 00	
Nov.	16	Interest credited.....		28 33	
1916					
Apr.	30	Interest credited.....		26	
			<i>Cr.</i>		
Dec.	30	Compensation of agent.....			\$ 1 42
1916					
Sept.	30	Balance.....			527 17
				<u>\$528 59</u>	<u>\$528 59</u>

LEDGER BALANCES.

September 30, 1916.

Name of accounts.	Debit.	Credit.
State of Illinois, net value.....		\$447,555 37
Lands.....	\$ 56,450 00	
Buildings and permanent improvements.....	253,910 20	
Bedding.....	2,177 40	
Agricultural implements.....	30 00	
Wagons and other vehicles.....	495 00	
Seeds and plants.....	6 05	
Miscellaneous expense.....	836 96	
Light.....	960 88	
H. C. Montgomery, miscellaneous purchase.....	1 85	
General kitchen.....	5,523 86	
Officers' kitchen.....	1,094 97	
Bakery.....	1,001 37	
Hospital.....	135 70	
Farm.....		75 62
Sewing room.....		55 20
Water.....	492 89	
Freight and transportation.....	242 55	
Amusement of inmates.....	12 30	
Traveling expenses.....	126 49	
State Treasurer, improvement of grounds.....	309 02	
State Treasurer, text books and apparatus.....	392 02	
Harness and stable.....	160 05	
Machinery and tools.....	7,710 45	
Library and periodicals.....	15,444 43	
Storekeeper.....	2,819 85	
County ledger.....	1,584 86	
Individual ledger.....	1,100 59	
State Treasurer, repairs and improvements.....		901 07
Workshop supplies.....	19,169 79	
Office supplies.....	462 02	
State Treasurer, free circulating library.....	1,013 45	
Printing room.....		416 44
Household supplies.....	2,718 86	
Monthly pay roll.....	33,579 90	
Live stock.....	1,480 00	
Miscellaneous Inventory.....	615 20	
Laundry supplies.....	88 12	
Instruments and apparatus.....	9,245 69	
Fuel.....	3,359 97	
Furniture and fixtures.....	12,278 87	
Plumbing, heating, light and engine supplies.....	1,092 26	
Medicine and medical supplies.....	686 53	
Stock food.....	1,525 53	
State Treasurer, ordinary.....	8,667 82	
	<u>\$449,003 70</u>	<u>\$449,003 70</u>

